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To: [Walters, Donn](#)
Cc: [Allen, Bob \(PCS\)](#); [Gray, David](#)
Subject: Re: San Jacinto Waste Pits Information Open House
Date: Wednesday, April 22, 2015 4:19:40 PM

Dear Donn,

Thank you for reminding me about the discussion about the need for a community update at the last CAC meeting. Since that was a couple of months ago the notice yesterday caught me off guard. The County would like to help in anyway you think is appropriate.

It would not surprise me at all if questions came up regarding the settlement between the County and Waste Management or the appeal of the International Paper portion of the case and now that the trial is over we may be in a better position to comment on those and related issues.

Regardless, we look forward to the success of the meeting and toward our continued work with the EPA and our other similarly aligned partners towards implementing the best remedial plan for the residents of the County and the environment.

Best always,

Rock

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID

"Walters, Donn" <walters.donn@epa.gov> wrote:

Hello Rock, We discussed the need for an open house at the Feb 25 CAC meeting at which Harris Co. was present. This does not mean any specific role. R6 always announces public outreach events like this to include our State and local partner agencies. We've done that here since the start. Gary and his team are working closely with the Corps. He will update whatever information he has. This is simply an informal update meeting to let residents know where we are in this ongoing process.

From: Owens, Rock (CAO) [<mailto:Rock.Owens@cao.hctx.net>]
Sent: Tuesday, April 21, 2015 11:56 AM
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Don

Thanks for the information regarding the open house. We plan to attend. Since this is a public forum and it being conducted "in cooperation with... Harris County..." I would appreciate it if you would give me a call so we can discuss the County's roll and coordinate.

It has been some time since the U.A. Army Corps of Engineers took up its independent review and we've not heard any news of how that is going. Any news on how that is going or when we might see the roll out of the proposed clean up?

Best wishes

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